

REMARKS

Reconsideration is requested.

Attached is a copy of the Notification and attached Error Report mailed November 4, 2004.

Attached are thirty-four (34) sheets of replacement drawings wherein the Japanese characters in the header and legends of the originally-filed drawings has been removed and replaced with corresponding English text, respectively.

The specification has been amended to insert the attached Sequence Listing. The attached paper and computer readable copies of the Sequence Listing are the same. No new matter has been added.

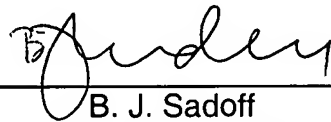
The requisite \$130 fee is attached.

The Office is requested to advise the undersigned in the event anything further is required in response to the attached Notification.

An early and favorable Action on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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